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RE PURDUE PHARMA NO: 19-23649-rdd

8/9/21

DEAR CLERK GENNA,

PLEASE FIND ENCLOSED FOR THE COURTS ARTENTION INDM M
IN THE HEARING ON MY MOTION MADE SCHEDULED FOR AUGUST 16,2021 at 10 AM.

THANK YOU

LAWRENCE HIGGIN

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IN RE: PURDUE PHARMA L.P.

CASE NO. 19-23649-rdd CHAPTER 11

BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO FILE LATE CLAIM

S.D. OF N.Y.

AND NOW COMES THE PLAINTIFF/CLAIMANT, LAWRENCE HIGGINS, AND HEREBY NOTICES THE COURT THAT HE IS INCARCERATED AND CANNOT APPEAR BY ANY MEANS TO THE SCHEDULED HEARING OF AUGUST 16,2021, 10:00AM FOR HIS PENDING MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE A LATE CLAIM AND WOULD SHOW THE COURT THE FOLLOWING IN ADDITION TO HIS PREVIOUSLY FILED DOCUMENTS IN THE CAUSE THAT:

- AM) CLAIMANT IS IN THE PROCESS OF OBTAINIG MULTIPLE PROOFS OF LEGAL PRESCRIPTION OF THE DEBTORS PRODUCTS.
- B) CLAIMANT HAS BEEN INCARCERATED IN TEXAS FOR SEVERAL YEARS AND EVEN DURING THIS INCARCERATION HE WAS PRESCRIBED DEBTORS PRODUCTS.
- C) CLAIMANT FILED INQUIRY FOR INFORMATION FOR PROOF OF CLAIM PRIOR TO THE BAR DATE BUT WAS DELAYED THROUGH PRISON MAIL SYSTEM.

ARGUMENT

CLAIMANT IS A LAYMEN OF THE LAW BUT AEKS THIS COURT TO FOLLOW THE COURT IN HUNT 146 BR 178 WHO FOUND THAT CREDITORS CLAIM CAN BE BARRED FOR FAILURE TO FILE PROOF OF CAAIM PRIOR TO BAR DATE ONLY IF CREDITOR RECIEVED REASONABLE NOTICE OF BAR DATE.

PARTIES WHO HAVE FAILED TO FILE PROOF OF CLAIM IN CHAPTER 11
PROCEEDINGS HAVE BURDEN TO PROVE EXCUSABLE NEGLECT OR CAUSE TO
AVOID PRECLUSION OF THEIR CLAIMS. FED , RULES 9006(b).

CLAIMANT HAS PROVIDED SWORN AFFIDAVITS HE HAD NO ACCESS TO TELEVISION NEWS PAPERS, LIBRARY AND HAD NO COMMUNICATION WITH THE OUTSIDE WORLD FOR MONTHS PRIOR TO THE BAR DATE BECAUSE ALL TEXAS PRISONS WERE IN TOTAL LOCKDOWN FROM FEBRUARY TO JULY 2020 AND CLAIMANTS INDIVIDUAL CELL BLOCK WAS LOCKED DOWN FROM JANUARY TO JULY 2020. . TEXAS INMATES ARE NOT SOLD TELEVISIONS AND CELLS HAD NO ACCESS TO TELEVISIONS DURING THAT TIME FRAME.

EVEN WHEN IT IS NOT LOCKDOWN HERE IN TEXAS THERE ARE ONLY TWO TELEVISIONS IN THE DAY ROOMS AND THEY ARE ALMOST ALWAYS ON SPORTS.

PRAYER

CLAIMANT NOT ONLY LOST HIS LIFE FROM THESE DRUGS, WHEN HIS SON BECAME ADDIETED TO OXYCOTIN AND COULD NOT GET IT HE TURNED TO THE STREETS AND DIED OF HEROIN OVERDOSE.

CLAIMANT DID NOT FILE ON HIS SONS BEHALF BECAUSE HE CANNOT OBTAIN THE MEDICAL RECORDS AT THIS TIME. CLAIMANT HAS THREE GRANDCHILDREN NOW WITH NO FATHER. FINALLY CLAIMANT SWEARS THAT THROUGH NO FAULT OF HIS OWN WAS HE LATE IN FILING, AND HE FILED THE CLAIM MM AS SOON AS HE WAS MADE AWARE OF THE SUIT AND DID ATTACH AN EXPLAN-ATION ASKING FOR ALLOWANCE OF THE LATE CLAIM BUT AGAIN SENT THIS TO THE PRIME CLERK THINKING THIS WAS THE CLERK OF COURT. SO FOR THE COURTS ATTENTION THIMS CLAIM WAS FILED SEPTEMBER 3 2020 AND THIS LATE MOTION FOR LEAVE IS FOR THAT CLAIM . SWORN TO THIS 9th DAY OF AUGUST 2021

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NOTICE TO COURT

THIS CLAIMANT WIS MADE AWARE OF THE PENDING LITIGATION
OF PURDUE PHARMA MID JULY, 2020 BY THE ADVISEMENT OF
ANOTHER DRUG ADDICT INMATE WHO IS HOUSED IN THE DORMATORIES
OF THE PRISON WHOM IS ALSO INVOLVED IN THIS LITIGATION.
THIS CLAIMANT S CELL BLOCK AND DORMATORIES ARE SEPERATE
WITH NO CONTACT TO EACH OTHER DURING LOCKDOWN FOR COVID
19 OR ANY LOCKDOWN. THIS OTHER DRUG ADDICT INMATE
WILL PROVIDE SWORN AFFIDAVIT IF THE COURT REQUIRES.
CLAIMANT SWEARS UNDER THE PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT ALL
CONTAINED IN THIS NOTICE IS TRUE AND CORRECT.
SIGNED THIS 9TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2021

LAWRENCE HICKANS

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Cate Filed Claim was seeved on all parties

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